

# TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT



FEMA

## NATIONAL CONTINUITY PROGRAMS DIRECTORATE

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### COURSE:

E-156 - BUILDING DESIGN FOR HOMELAND SECURITY TRAIN-THE-TRAINER COURSE FOR CONTINUITY OF OPERATIONS (COOP)

### DESCRIPTION:

The Building Design for Homeland Security Train-the-Trainer Course will cover the content of FEMA 426, "Reference Manual to Mitigate Potential Terrorist Attacks Against Building". The course is being offered to Federal Executive Branch officials with Continuity of Operations (COOP) responsibilities.

This course outlines a methodology to determine the risk of a building's critical functions and infrastructure against various terrorist threats and highlights applicable protective measures. The course considers Explosive Blast; Chemical, Biological, Radiological attacks and identifies protective measures for site and building design and layout. The course also provides guidance on electronic security systems.

This training includes a train-the-trainer module to equip the managers to teach the course to others.

In order to ensure that Departments and Agencies are able to take full advantage of this training opportunity, FEMA will only be accepting individuals representing their Department or Agencies COOP Program Office, Facility Management, and Security Management sections.

### DATES /TIMES:

September 21-23, 2010 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

### LOCATION:

New Jersey State Police Division Headquarters  
Regional Operational Intelligence Center (R.O.I.C.)  
1 Trooper Drive  
W. Trenton, New Jersey 08628

**OBJECTIVES:**

Upon completion of this course, participants should be able to do the following:

- Understand the design approaches to mitigate man-made hazards that have the greatest applicability and benefit for specific threats;
- Train other COOP stakeholders to include Program Managers and Facility/Security Offices.

**ELIGIBILITY:**

Federal government employees responsible for managing a COOP Program. (A laptop is required by each individual for classroom exercises.)

**APPLICATIONS:**

Please submit a FEMA Form 75-5 (General Admission Application, February 07 version) to: 609-671-0160

FEMA Form 75-5 can be downloaded at <http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/StudentInfor/application.asp>.

*Class participation is limited to 25 participants; however, a waitlist will be established and applicants will be contacted should there be a cancellation.*

Applicants with special needs should contact the Course Manager to arrange/discuss specific requirements.

Course Manager: Lt. Doug Heath, 609-963-6962

**APPLICATION DEADLINES:**

September 15, 2010

**COURSE CANCELLATION POLICY**

Cancellations must be received prior to course start date and may be done by email.

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